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Chief Administrative Office

DISTRICT ATTORNEY MANAGEMENT PROMOTION EXCEEDING 10 PERCENT

Consistent with the August 4, 1998 Board-approved policy on managerial salaries, we have reviewed and recommend approval of the District Attorney's (DA) request for the appointment of Mr. Dominick J. Rivetti to the position of Chief of the Bureau of Investigation, Detective (UC) at an annual salary of \$143,827.00 which is below the control point of R16 of the Salary structure. The requested salary reflects a 5.5 percent increase over the highest paid subordinate and is comparable to salaries of other Bureau Chief Position incumbents within the Department.

Mr. Rivetti is well qualified to head the Bureau of Investigation and has over 35 years of law enforcement experience. As the former Chief of Police for the City of San Fernando for sixteen years, Mr. Rivetti acquired considerable experience managing staff and resources to maintain a strong and effective police force. His has retained memberships in several police chief associations and law enforcement associations in order to remain on the cutting edge of legislative issues that affect the District Attorney's Office. His most recent experience as the Law Enforcement Liaison with the District Attornev's Office has allowed him to become well acquainted with the office's mission and personnel.

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Although this promotion reflects a significant increase, Mr. Rivetti's special skills in the law enforcement area have made him a critical asset to Mr. Cooley's succession plan.

Based on this information, we recommend that the Department's request be approved. In accordance with the policy on managerial salaries, please advise this office if you would like this request placed on an upcoming agenda for Board action. Unless otherwise instructed by July 31, 2006 we will authorize the Department to proceed with this appointment.

Please contact me, or your staff can contact Rosemary Gutierrez of my staff at (213) 974-1148, if you require additional information.

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